

Theme: THE DREAMS INTERPRETED BY JOSEPH

Memory Verse: *Psalm 25:14* “The secret of the Lord is with them that fear him; and he will show them his covenant”.

Texts: Genesis 41:9-32; Daniel 2:19-30

After the failure of the magicians and wise men of Egypt, the butler suddenly remembered Joseph in the prison. He immediately acknowledged his fault in forgetting Joseph. We can trace the finger of God in all these events. The dream and the lack of interpreter were clearly God’s design to make a way for Joseph’s elevation. Also, the presence of the butler and his remembrance of Joseph at this very instance were not mere coincidence at all.

The butler told Pharaoh about Joseph, and the king immediately sent for him. “The king sent and loosed him; even the ruler of the people, and let him go free” (Psalm 105:20). Pharaoh related the dream to Joseph and asked for the interpretation. Then Joseph pointed out to Pharaoh that the two dreams had one meaning. The repetition was for the sake of emphasis, urgency and certainty.

In the interpretation, Joseph pointed out that the seven fair kine (or cows) and seven fat ears of corn on one stalk represented seven years of plenty. The seven lean cows and the seven thin, blasted ears of corn represented seven years of famine that would follow the years of plenty. The years of famine would be so severe that the years of plenty shall be forgotten in the land of Egypt. The ease with which Joseph interpreted the dreams was a confirmation that “the secret of the LORD is with them that fear him; and he will show them his covenant” (Psalm 25:14).

	DAILY BIBLE READING	
	MORNING	EVENING
SUNDAY	Luke 19	Luke 20
MONDAY	Luke 21	Luke 22
TUESDAY	Luke 23	Luke 24
WEDNESDAY	John 1	John 2
THURSDAY	John 3	John 4
FRIDAY	John 5	John 6
SATURDAY	John 7	John 8